

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)

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Invention: ARRANGEMENTS AND METHODS FOR CONNECTING DECORATIVE ORNAMENTS

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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